WEATHER BULLETIN. Signal Office, Wichita, Kan., June 10.—The highest temperature was 90° the lowest 63°, and the mean 76°, with warmer, partly cloudy weather, brisk and high south to fresh southwest winds and

falling barometer.

Last year on June 10, the highest temperature was 72°, the lowest 55°, and the mean 64°, with .24 inch of rain. FRED L. JOHNSON, Observer.

WAR DEPARTMENT, WASHINGTON, D. C., June 10, 8 p. m.—Forecast until 8 p. m. For Missouri-Fair, followed by show ers; slightly warmer, southerly winds. For Kansas-Showers, slightly cooler,

NORMAL INSTITUTES. A List of the Institutes, Time of Holding,

Etc. Assistant Superindent Geo. W. Jones Assistant Supermanent of the county teachers' has compiled a list of the county teachers' normal institutes, to be held in the state this summer, together with time and place of holding the same, the conductors and instructors. The following is the list as

published:
Allen, Iola, July H. E. W. Myler conductor; L. H. Wishard, S. S. Estey, Nettie Chambers, Geo. L. Adams, instructors,
Auderson, Garnett, July I4, D. E. Sanders, conductor; J. E. Monroe, C. C. Slack,

ders conductor; J. E. Monros, C. C. Saca, instructors.

Atchison, Atchison, June 2, Buel T. Davis, conductor; J. T. Dobell, E. W. Myler, instructors.

Barber, Medicine Lodge, July 13, H. S. Landis conductor; J. E. Clark, O. T. Beson, H. G. Woodrow, instructors.

Barton, Great Bend, July 28, M. Chid-ester, conductor; H. N. Gaines, Linna Rosce, instructors.

ester, conductor: H. N. Gaines, Linna Reece, instructors, Bourbon, Fort Scott, June 9, D. E. San-ders, conductor: W. C. Landsdon, G. P. Benton, J. M. Greenwood, instructors. Brown, Hiswatha, June 28, H. F. Gra-ham, conductor; I. B. Morgan, F. S. Ros-seter, instructors, Butler, El Dorado, July 14, A. J. May, conductor; J. H. Hays, W. J. Spedr, in-

Chase, Cottonwood Falls, June 9, J. C.

Chase, Cottonwood Falls, June 9, J. C. Davis, conductor: George Swainheart, T. B. Moore, W. S. Edwards, instructors. Cherokee, Columbus, June 9, J. W. Weltner, conductor; W. J. Hull, E. T. Inglam, instructors.

Cheyenne, Bird City, July 28, J. O. Allen, conductor, Annie E. Packer, instructor. Clark, Ashland, June 9, C. S. Williams, conductor; Sarah A. Donnell, D. A. Tear, instructors.

Clay Car Center, June 9, John Deitrich, canductor; E. L. Cowdrick, S. C. Bloss, W. A. Stacey, C. A. Murphy, Instructors, Cloud, Concordia, July 28, W. M. Jay, conductor; E. P. McMahou, J. L. Tarbox, instructors.
Coffey, Burlington, July 14, J. E. Klock,
conductor; W. H. Johnson, E. A. Farring-

ton, instructors.
Comanche, Coldwater, June 9, C. L.
Clayton, conductor; Nellie R. Clayton, C.

W. Mills, instructors.
Cowley, Winfield, June 9, Mrs. Julia L.
Caton, conductor; Nellie R. Reecc, D. R.
Boyd, W. N. Rice, J. A. Wood, instruct-

Ors.
Crawford, Girard, June 9, John D. Pat-terson, conductor: Allen G. Thurman, G. W. Cassidy, E. Lauretta Coe, instructors, Decatur, Oberlin, June 30 (eight weeks), S. V. Mallory, conductor; W. G. Riste, T. B. Wolfe, instructors.
Dickinson, Abilene, June 9, W. M. Jay conductor; J. G. Wine, D. F. Shirk, in-structors.

boniphan, Troy, July 28, L. L. H. Anstin, conductor, R. N. Pemberton, Mrs. C. F. Menninger, instructors
Donglas, Lawrence, June 9, E. Stanley, conductor: C. P. Cary, Miss R. A. Davis, instructors. Edwards, Kinsley, July 14; E. D. Webb,

conductor, Elk, Howard, July 28, A. S. Olin, conductor; Susle Harper, J. B. Sands, instructors.
Ellis, Hays City, July 28, L. H. Gehman, conductor, A. W. Whelan, instructor.
Ellsworth, Ellsworth, July 28, C. W. Mills, conductor, Dallis Grover, instructor.

Finney, Garden City, June 9, Anna S. Wood, conductor: Alice L. Smith, H. S. EcMichael, instructors. Ford, Dodge City, June 9, E. D. Webb, conductor; L. D. Ellis, Miss M. A. Woods, Franklin, Ottawa, July 14, John Die-trich, conductor, M. L. Field, F. P. Smith, Id, Eminence, July 14, A. H. New-

ton, instructor, Geary, Junetion City, June 9, T. S. Har-kins, conductor; F. P. Batchelder, John Goary, Junetion City, June 9, T. S. Har-kins, conductor: F. P. Batchelder, John W. Rodgers, instructors. Gove, Gove City, July 14, D. J. Coy, con-ductor: Ida M. Hodgdon, instructor. Graham, Hill City, July 28, Helen M. Eacker, conductor: Viola V. Price, Alonza Norman, instructors.

Norman, instructors.
Grant, Ulysses, June 9, F. B. Brown, ronductor, E. Ensminger, H. B. Scott, in-

Gray, Ingalls, June 28, W. H. Miller, conductor N. P. Hammer, instructor, Greeley, Tribune, June 9, Curtis P. Coe, conductor L. H. Bristol, instructor, Greenwood, Eureka, June 9, G. W. Kendrick, conductor, W. S. Picken, L. C. Wasser, instructors. Wooster, instructors.

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Hamilton, Syracuse, July 28, Frank Alkens, conductor.
Harvey, Newton, July 28, S. T. Danner, conductor: Wm. Wheeler, Florence Reasoner, W. S. Allen, instructors. Hodgeman, Jetmore, July 28, John Groendyke, conductor; H. H. Canfield, in-

structor.

Jackson, Holton, July 28, E. Stanley, conductor; H. M. Johnson, instructor. Jefferson, Ockalocsu, June 9, B. F. Nihart, conductor, E. E. Heath, instrute-Jewell, Mankato, July 28, E. M. Brock-ett, conductor, S. P. Domer, J. G. Long,

instructors. Johnson, Ginthe, June 9, J. L., Howard, omluctor, B. S. McFarland, O. T. Beeson,

Confluctor: B. S. Aler Strand, C. J. E. Cook, instructors:
Kearney, Hartland, July 28, Cyrus Russell, conductor: H. B. Scott, instructor.
Kingman, Kingman, July 28, Mrs. L. H. Picken, conductor: W. S. Picken, Miss Alfreda Judd, instructors.
Kiowa, Greensburg, July 14, Eli. Payne, conductor: Warren Buker, Roxie E. Clark, instructors: Warren Buker, Roxie E. Clark, instructors.

Labette, Oswego, June 9, T. W. Conway, onductor, F. B. Baldwin, C. P. Hender-

conductor, F. B. Baldwin, C. F. Hender-shot, instructors.
Lane, Dighton, June 9, C. H. Roberts, conductor, Milo Hempy, instructor.
Leavenworth, Leavenworth, July 28, George G. Ryan, conductor: Mary Al-bright, L. M. Ramsey, instructors.
Lincoln, Lincoln, July 28, A. T. Biggs, conductor, J. H. Ware, H. B. Morrison, W. T. Clark, instructors. Linn, Mound City, July 28, Ida A. Ahl-born, conductor: F. McClellan, C. S. Jones,

E. A. Allen, instructors, Logan, Russell Springs, June 30, (eight weeks) R. F. Malaby, conductor; G. E. weeks) R. F. Mainby, conductor, Albin, instructor, Lyon, Emporia, June 9, W. H. Johnson, conductor, J. E. Klock, O. Templin, in-Marion, Marion, June 9, B. D. Van

Ostrand, conductor: W. S. Slough, W. B. Zercher, Mrs. Neilie T. Butterfield, J. H. Smith, instructors.

Marshall, Marysville, July 28, H. G.
Larimer, conductor; Lewis Scott, E. T.

Ingham, instructors.

McPherson, McPherson, July 28, J. W. Cooper, conductor; S. Z. Sharp, Mar Woodson, Lyda Chatterton, instructors, Miami, Paole, July 28, Addison Ludium conductor; F. A. Prather, W. A. Light, C

A. Shively, instructors,
Mitchell, Beloit, June 9 F. C. Perkins.
conductor; W. W. Reed, instructor. Montgomery, Independence, June 9, D. W. Kingsley, conductor; E. A. Mend, S. M. Nees, George C. Heritage, instructors, Morris, Council Grove, June 9, J. W. Quay, conductor; J. M. Rhodes, Maggie A. Wack.

Nack.
Nemaha, Seneca, July 14, L. B. Morgan, conductor; J. G. Schoffeld, Milton Todd, instructors.

Neosho, Erie, July 28, C. M. Light, conductor; C. E. Merwin, C. D. Herod, S. W.

Black, instructors.
Norton, Norton, July 28, J. H. Ely, conductor, Frank H. Baker, D. C. Nutting nstructors.
Osage, Osage City, June 9, J. H. Hill, onductor; John A. McClain, W. M. Headingion, J. Adams, instructors.
Ostorne, Osberne, June 9, F. H. Clark,
conductor: Florence Reasoner, L. T. Weeks. Ottawa, Minneapolis, June 2, A. P. Warrington, conductor; Charles Swisher, Helen Eacker, instructors.
Pawnee, Larned, July 28, L. N. Fouts, conductor; E. B. Smith, instructor.
Phillips, Phillipsburg, June 2, T. J. Loar, conductor; Eli Payne, Marcellus Piett instructor.

Loar, conductor; Eli Payne, Marcellus Piatt, instructors, Pottawatomie, Westmereland, June 9, William Wheeler, conductor; R. N. Pem-William Wheeler, conductor; R. N. Pemberton, instructor.
Pratt, Pratt, June 9, I. N. McCash, conductor; H. G. Woodrow, S. P. Nold.
Rawlins, Atwood, July 14, H. J. Barber, conductor; L. S. Fry, instructor.
Reno, Hutchinson, July 14, J. W. Quay, conductor; Mrs. M. M. Carson, D. A. Chapman, O. W. Jones, instructors.
Republic, Belleville, July 28, F. H. Clark, conductor, D. K. Thomas, Mrs. Phoebe J. Clark, instructors. Famous Women. [Special Correspondence.]

Clark, instructors, Rice, Lyons, July 28, C. Y. Roop, conductor: W. S. Slough, instructor, Riley, Manhattan, June 9, Ida A. Ahl-born, conductor: E. A. Alleu, C. G. Swingle, instructors.

gle, instructors.
Rooks, Stockton, July 28, I. F. Mather, sonductor, J. J. Johnson, Mrs. S. L. B. reorge, instructors.
Rush, La Crosse, July 14, W. M. Davidson, conductor, Miss Lena Porter, instruc-

or. Russell, Russell, July 14, L. A. Parke, onductor; William Reece, J. R. Bickerconductor: William Reece, J. R. Bicker-dyke, instructors, Saline, Salina, June 9, C. Y. Roop, con-ductor; T. J. Rollman, W. F. Adams, Mrs. C. F. Menninger, instructors, Scott, Scott City, July 14, J. E. Williams, conductor; M. Hempy, instructor, Sedgwick, Wichita, July 28, J. M. Nay-lor, conductor; H. W. Charles, R. S. Law-mans, instructor,

Shawnee, Topeka, June 9, L. L. H. Aus-n, conductor: Margaret M. Hill, H. J. Barber, Josiah Jordan, instructors, Sheridan, Hoxle, July 28, W. W. Reed, conductor; Charles Swisher, Miss S. A. Jowell, instructors. Sherman, Goodjand, July 14, T. J. Loar,

Sherman, Goodland, July 14, T. J. Loar, conductor; O. G. Palmer, instructor; Smith, Smith Center, July 14, J. N. Mosher, conductor; Minnie McDonald, Bertha L. Fisk, instructors.
Stafford, St. John, July 28, William Stryker, conductor; H. S. Bell, instructor, Stevens, Woodsdale, July 14, Curtis P. Coe, conductor; C. W. Goodman, instructor.

Coe, conductor; C. W. Goodman, in-structor,
Summer, Wellington, July 14, P. J. Will-lams, conductor; Mrs. M. M. Carson, S. B. Todd, C. H. Roberts, W. G. MeGee.
Thomas, Colby, July 28, E. M. Wood, conductor; H. M. Worley, J. W. McDou-glas, Mrs. N. E. Pratt, instructors.
Trego, Wa-Keeney, July 28, John A. McClain, conductor; Carrie C. Davis, in-structor.

wabaunsee, Alma, June 9, H. G. Larimer, conductor, Dow Busenbark, W. H. Olin, instructors, Washington, June 9, F. S. Rosseter, conductor, J. W. Dinsmore, C. H. Rica

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Wichita, Leoti, June 9, T. P. Fisk, conductor; Mrs. Bertha L. Fisk, instructor, Wilson, Fredonia, July 14, T. W. Conway, conductor; J. C. Gray, H. V. Butcher, instructors.
Woodson, Yates Center, June 9, J. C. Gray, conductor; A. J. Jones, Bertha Brainard, J. C. Culver, instructors.
Wyandotte, Kansas City, June 9, J. T. Buchanan, conductor, C. H. Nowlin, George E. Rose, Julin Wherrell, instructors.

Chautauqua, Harper, Haskell, Meade, Morton, Ness, Seward, Stanton and Wal-

lace counties have not yet reported. Bradycrotine cured Headaches for Rev. H. Cordon, Wilson, N. C.

THE GRAND TRUNK WITHDRAWS. THE GRAND TRUNK WITHDRAWS.
CRICAGO, Ill., June 10.—The quarrel over
dressed beef rates in which the eastern
roads are engaged has resulted in the withdrawal of the Chicago & Grand Trunk
from the Central Traffic association. The
officials of that road have become incensed
at Chairman Blanchurd for refusing to
authorize them to protect their rates and
claim that under the circumstances they
will be better off outside of the association.

Aminent physicians recommend Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Ayer's Almanac, at and filled in with velutina, which is your druggist's.

THE MISSOURI'S ANNUAL RISE. mark; this morning it was sixteen feet above and tonight twenty and one half feet and rising slowly. No damage is expected here, where the water is still many feet below its banks.

Do you want to see two very pretty party dresses, girls? Of course you do. The little one is of gray Japanese crape, according political with streamers of

SMOTHERED BY A FALL OF WHEAT CHICAGO, III., June 10.-William P. Harvey & Co.'s grain elevator was the scene of an accident yesterday in which two laboring men, H. Herman and Timothy Lynch, were instantly killed. Eighty thousand pounds of wheat broke through the partition which separated the bin they were in from one adjoining and smothered

Don't wait till your system is all run own, but take Hood's Sarsaparilla. Sold by druggists.

A BOODLE ALDERMAN KILLED. PATTERSON, N. J., June 10.—Ex-Alder-nan James Pierson was fatally injured by an Eric train at Jersey City last night. son was one of the boodle aldermen of

BASE BALL

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Base hits—Chicago 10, Cleveland 2, Errors—Chicago 6, Cleveland 1, Pitchers—Hutchinson and Beatin, AT PHILADELPHIA. Philadelphia 2 0 0 0 1 0 3 0 0 - 6

AT BOSTON.

Brooklyn ... 0 0 1 0 0 0 4 1 0 - 6

Base hifs-Boston II, Brooklyn S.

Errors-Beston I, Brooklyn 2.

Pitchers-Clarkson and Lovett.

AT CINCINNATE. Base hits—Cincinnati 12, Pittsburg 6, Errors—Cincinnati 0, Pittsburg 6, Pitchers-Foreman and Sowders

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION. AT BOCHESTER. Base hits—Rochester 10, Athletics 4, Errors—Rochester 2, Athletics 4,

AT LOUISVILLE. ouisville.......0 0 2 3 0 1 3 0 0- 9 olumbus.......1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0- 1 Base hits-Louisville 18, Columbus 7, Errors - Louisville 4, Columbus 4, Pitchers - Statton and Widner.



"I called an Mrs. Snap today and found her bathing the buby in the washtub. Haven't they a bathroom! "Yes, but her husband is an amateur

LATEST SPRING STYLES.

OLIVE HARPER WRITES OF THE FASHIONS OF THE WEEK.

Some New Ideas in Waists Which Are Pretty for Graceful Women-A Pair of Party Dresses-The Costumes of Two

NEW YORK, May 29.—There has been considerable talk about waists made with the material simply drawn across the front smoothly without any darts or seams or openings, and now I furnish views of two gowns made in that style.

To achieve one of these pretty styles it is necessary to have the liuing of the waist fitted well to the figure, with the seams all turned in, and the bones laid flat with extreme care. Then the material is drawn carefully over and pulled



TRUE ECONOMY AND SAVING GRACE. and drawn until it fits like a glove over the lining. Of course the girl must be inside the lining while this molding process is going on, and I should also mention that the shoulder and side seams

are only basted. As soon as the outside fits without a wrinkle then the shoulder and side seams are ripped and the whole is sewn together. The material must be flexible, such as camel's hair, cashmere, bunting, surah or china crape. This latter when in black makes an exquisite drapery. and indeed the model of the design was in cream colored silk with large garnet figures, and over it was draped the black crape as seen in the illustration.

It is a real relief to the eyes to see these pretty plain corsages after so many heav-ly laden waists. The other one has the fullness which would have been taken up in darts brought down to the point in front. The whole dress is in drab cashmere, summer weight, and the front breadths are slashed and lined with old rose silk, while the underskirt is of myrtle green volutina. Bordering the slashes are bands of embroidered leaves in rus set green shadings, and done in chenille, which leaves it in quite high relief. This kind of embroidery is very rapidly done, and very pretty when finished. The sleeves are also slashed on the outer side

cheap, very fashionable and wears well. These gowns button in the back, the KANSAS CITY, Mo., June 10.—The Missouri river is experiencing its annual June rise at this place. Yesterday morning the river was twelve feet above low water

accordeon plaited, with streamers of No other medicine has won approval, at pink (peachblow pink) ribbons hanging home, equal to Ayer's Sarsaparilla in Low- from waist to the foot of the dress where it is fastened in a loop. A belt of the same goes around the waist and is tied in a double bow with long loops and ends in the back. Across the front of the corsage is a fichu drapery of gray tulle, with a pink rosette. The sleeves are of crape and the dress is modestly low in front and back. The pretty Catogan braid in the dressing of the hair gives a girlish look to the whole. Many young ladies who have low foreheads are parting the hair in the middle and combing it back, leaving only one little carl down the middle of the forehead. The gloves are pearl gray. The design of this pretty little gown could be carried out in a variety of ways with slight

alterations. For her blonde friend the other "creation" would be the foil. This is in pale blue surah and white lace. The style is so simple that a description is not need-are suitable for any evening gathering where full dress is required.



AREN'T THEY PRETTY? This week I have seen three beautiful costumes. One was black lace, with bere and there a tiny velvet bow of corn color. Fanny Edgar Thomas were the other black dress, the skirt accordeon plaited, the waist slightly open at the neck, and her color was red. Ella Wheeler Wilcox was with her and

she wore a princess dress of thick looking but zephyr light gray wool, with faint stripes of color. There was so drapery sxcept from left shoulder to right hip. CLIVE HARPER

A Lesson from an Old Fire.

Dr. George M. Ockford, of Lexington, Ky., says that the fire of London in the Seventeenth contury dispelled the old illusion that the plague was unavoidable. That fire involved London in enermous pe caniary loss, but it proved a blessing by tamping out discase, and upon the ruins it left behind there was built up a sanitary wicm which had since been improved ur til it was now the very finest in the world. Old World epidemics were largely the result of the asyumulations of fifth for ages. imilar conditions do not exist in Americs, and hence such calamities as Asiatic choices and yellow fever had only existed in confined areas.—St. Louis Post-Dispatch

FIELD'S LETTER FROM THE QUEEN.

Mr. Field's Advice to Letter Writers.

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[Special Correspondence.]

New York, May 26.—It is not every man or woman who can show an antograph letter from Queen Victoria. I only know of one such person. It is Cyrus W. Field, the man who laid the Atlantic cable, and who is famous as a great financier.

"Of all the mementoes that I have of a busy life," said Mr. Field to me, "one of the most precions is this letter written by the queen of England. It came to me at a time when many honors were being showered upon me. I had finished laying the Atlantic cable and was the recipient of testimonials, banquets, speeches and letters from all over the world, but no letter that I ever received was so highly pleasing as l ever received was so highly pleasing as this one. It is a small letter, as you will see, written in Queen Victoria's own hand-writing, and she thanks me for my services n laying the cable. It was very thoughtful on her part to send such a letter, and I prize it highly. There is a little story connected with it that may prove of interest to young men and women.
"During the carly part of the period

when I was busy at work on the cable it became necessary for me to communicate direct with the queen's officials. I had many warm friends in her ministry and I had written long and urgent letters asking for such assistance as England could give for such assistance as languand count gave me. Afterwards it occurred to me that it would be a good plan to address a letter directly to the queen. I wanted to tell her all that I had done and was trying to do. all that I had done and was trying to do.
So I sat down and wrote a ten or twelve
page letter outlining the work and the future of t' project. I copied and re-copied
this letter until I thought it was eminently
satisfactory, but before I mailed it a sudden thought struck me that the queen
would perhaps be too busy to read it. What
was I to do? There was only one thing- to was I to do? There was only one thing—to reduce the letter in size, and yet keep all the ideas intact. So I went at it again and spent many weary hours in reducing the letter to one page of writing. I put every idea that was necessary and important on one sheet of paper and mailed it.
"And do you know, I believe until this

day that if I had sent the first letter the oneen would never have read it or replied to me. I made that belief a point all through life. Whenever I wrote a letter I tried to express myself in the briefest pos-sible terms. Men and women, I found, were too busy to read long letters. I do exactly what the editors of today do. I boil it down. If I have any word of advice to give to beginners in life, I would say, write short letters, cut out all the adjectives you can. Never make a letter so long that it will tire the person you send it to Get everything you have to say on one page of letter head. Short letters are always read. No matter how busy a man is, he has time to read a few lines. Thousands of splendid projects have been ruthlessly slaughtered because the man who wrote to investors or projectors did not know enough to write short letters."

It may be interesting to add that Mr. Field has another memento in his cabinet of curiosities that he prizes very highly, It is a silver box centaining the freedom of the city of New York. He was the last man to receive that honor.

FOSTER COATES. IN THE DAYS OF VIGILANTES.

Reminiscence of the Time When Crime Was Summarily Punished in Texas. [Special Correspondence.]

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., May 28 .- The halon days of the Vigilantes, when justice as swift, sure and poetic, are just now much bemoaned by some of the old timers. The spectacle of a man tried and sentenced to a term in the penitentiary because he killed a neighbor's steer in order to provide his starving family with meat, fills them with such indignation as can only be relieved by a resurrection of oft told tales, long since dead and buried. "Uncle" Biddle Ackerman's memory is especially good. There is a tradition that in the old lays no one was more deft with the noose

"Did the man shoot the steer because he was bungry for meat? If so, all right, Did he shoot the steer and then seil the hide? If so, hang him!" And all the other ld fellows nod willing assent.

"Remember the trouble we had with that low down chap, Bill Spangle, in '59? No? Well, it was this way: Bill and his wife and a big brood of young ones lived in a sharty about four miles out. Somebody was leaving the skinned carcases of cattle around on the prairie. They were always shot in the head. None of the meat vas ever taken, but their skins were always missing. We traced three of the skins to town and then traced the shooting and skinning to Bill Spangle. Next day five vigilantes had him swinging from a limb in front of his house. On account of his family they let him down before he croaked and warned him to pack up and get out before another sunrise. Bill failed o move, and they warned him again. He naid no attention, and on the third day, ust as the sun was coming up, the same five vigilantes rode up and hitched their horses to some trees fifty yards from Bill's front door. They all dismounted, and one of them took off the belt containing his knife and revolvers and threw it on the ground, stripped himself to his shirt, boots, rousers and sombrero, raised both hands above his head, and walked alowly toward Bill's door. Bill stood in the door with two revolvers cocked and almed. Behind him stood his wife, with a rifle simed over his shoulder. The unarmed man walked on slowly, with his hands high above his behind his horse.

cocked his rifle and stood partly concealed "For nearly half an hour this unarmed man stood and talked with Bill while two revolvers and a rifle were still aimed at his heart. He was urging Bill to leave the country for the sake of his family. From what they could hear the others knew that Bill's answer was that this was his home and he would not leave it alive. Twice the unarmed man lowered his hand slowly to his brow, and each time he did so his comrade glanced along the barrel of his rifle at Bill from behind his horse. But twice the unarmed man raised his hand again and resumed the conversation.
"At last the unarmed man's left hand

slowly wiped the perspiration from his brow, while with his right be deliberately removed his sombrero. At that instant a rifle rang out from among the trees and Bill Spangle lay dead across his own CURIS DUNBAM.

Mrs. Kendal and Yankee Reporters. Mrs. Kendal is found of recalling the feel-ings with which she faced the little party of newspaper men that met her at the hotel as soon as she reached in from the steamer that brought her to New York. Her nervousness at this trying time would seem from her own account to have amounted to little less than absolute terror. "But," she adds, "In five minutes everything was so casy and so plassant that I was quite

There is only one thing harder than to keep your secret from those you like, and that is to keep those you dislike from knowing your secret. When a rooster clucks, and a rooster

soyself again.

runs up instead of a pullet, the second roester is very apt to think that the worm is mighty small for the amount of noise Has an honest man, while suffering from an attack of too much sympathy, a right to recommend a rogue to another honest

man! If the rogue so recommended steals from his employer, who is to blame!-

Spiritualists claim a membership of 80.-A colored woman nearly 100 years old was baptized recently at Atlanta, Ga. The old John Brown fort at Harper's

Ferry is to be moved to Chicago, to be band for the World's fair. The Maine Sevings bank in Portugal has 325 unknown depositors, of which number 26 have not troubled their deposits since

California to acclimatize some varieties of the cinchona tree, from which quinine is

ida weighed thirty-six and three-quarter pounds, which is four and three-quarter pounds heavier than all competitors. The nutritive value of salads is held by

an eminent French authority to be due to the presence of saits of potash, which in ordinary vegetables are lost in the cooking. Those interested in astronomy will have an opportunity to observe a total eclipse of the sun under favorable conditions in 1900. It will occur in the early morning of May 27, and will be visible from Virginia

The people of the United States during 1889 smoked 3,955,955,778,722 cigars, which, at five cents each, cost the consumers \$167, 768,686.10. This sum, at \$20,000 a mile would have built 8,686 miles of railroad and at \$8,000 each would have purchased 20,978 locomotives.

It is strange that the use of points for purposes of punctuation should be such a comparatively modern invention. Of the four generally used points only the period s earlier than the fifteenth century. The colon (:) is said to have been first introduced about 1485, the comma (,) some thirty-five years later, and the semi-colon A book by a horse is a novelty, especially

when it is well written. Unquestionably the finest work of this kind ever produced is "Black Beauty," written by a lady in Engisad, which has just been republished in the United States by the American Humane Education society. Not only is it a readable story, but it is full of pathos and no one can read it without feeling more merciful toward horses.

THE ANIMAL KINGDOM.

Spring Place, Ga., has a cat that is nurs ing four kittens and a rabbit. She captured the young have while out hunting food and, instead of devouring it, feeds it as she does her young.

A pair of robins have built a nest (in which there are now four eggs) on a shelf in the Boys' Board school, Borcastle, England. The shelf is only four feet from the ground, and in full view of the scholars. One of the birds spent two and three-quarter hours in the nest one day recently dur ing school hours.

A Mexican shepherd made a bet with his mployer that his dog would stay alone on the ranch for five days, taking the sheep them at night. The dog was instructed by his master, plenty of meat was hung up within reach, the shepherd went off, the dog faithfully discharged his duties, and the bet was won.

A singular incident occurred at Scarcliffe, Notts, England. A man was plowing in a field when a fox started up and bolted away. Every encouragement was given to the old vixen to return, but as she did not, and as the young foxes left there were nearly dead from cold, the man took the cubs to a cat. The young fexes were put with the cat and she has attended to them in a most mater-A North Carolina woman started for the

hay mow to see how a hen was getting along that was sitting on some eggs. On entering the barn the woman was surprised to see the old hen taking her babes down herself. She would pick one up in her mouth and fly down with it, lay it down and continue the process until she carried them all down, thirteen, safe, and

FRENCH CULINARY TERMS

Sance an beuree anchois-Anchovy but-Chartreuse d'oranges-Orange marma

Dumpling aux pommes-Apple dump Carre de pore frais reti-Roast loin of

Asperge a la creme-Asparagus with Artidrants a la lyonaise Lyonaise arti

chokes Cailles aux laitnes-Stewed quails and lettuce. Canard saurage en salnies-Salmis of

wild duck. Dinde truffe roti-Roast turkey stuffed

Cerrelles de veau eu brochette-Calf's brains broiled. Blanquette de veau-Tendons of veal with white sauce.

Bifteck garni de pommes de terre-Beefsteak and potatoes. Brochet, sauce au beuree d'auchin-Pike

Eginards a la maitre d'hotel-Spinach maitre d'hotel sauce. Cleoux fleurs, sauce au benree-Cauliflower with butter sauce - Good House keeping.

He Was the Loser. An old lady was telling her grandchildren about some trouble in Scotland, in the course of which the chief of her clan was beheaded. "It was noe great thing of a head at the best, to be sure," said the

good old lady, "but it was a sad loss to him, puir man!"—Exchange. In Parliamentary Language. "I am sorry I can't keep my engagement for the opera for Friday night," wrote William Kirby to the congressman's daughter, "but my friand William Griggs will take you, if agreeable."

the girl. - Somerville Journal She Might as Well. Too diffident he was to kim The maiden by his side. Although he loved the wintome miss and sought her for his bride.

Said be, as to the twilight gray

"Substitute Bill accepted!" wrote back

They wandered up and down,
"An anti-bissing club, they say,
Res just been formed in town, "Do you intend to join?" She sighed, And as her laskes fell)'er cheeks with crimson blushes dyed, Beplied, 'I might as well' —New York Press.

On Barvard Square. Student (to servant)-I thought you had finished sweeping my room. Boston Servant Girl-Reg pardon, sir; out I was just decomposing.

Student-What? Boston Servant Girl-I was returning to dust.-Puck.

to Philadelphia. He (who has been absent from her side an entire Sunday) - What did you think about all day yesterday, Dolly?

Dolly (with astonishment)-Why, Jack! you do not suppose mistama would permit me to think on Sunday, do you?-Chicago LIGHT AND AIRY.

The Bride's Thought. "Shall I tell you, dear, what I thought of when The ring was on and the prayer was said?" (They were safe in their flying carriage then— Two lovers just newly wed.)

"Not of the peace that ended fear; Not of the years we hope to know; But I only thought—oh, forgive me, dear-Of the man who loved me se— Your friend who stood by my bridesmaid's side

At the alter's railing—our chosen two— He had longed so dearly to call me oride, But, during, you never knew. Extra French challies 50 cts.

"And I only thought how it seemed to him— The offered yows and the glad replies.— And somehow the lighted church tooked dim Through the team that filled any eyes."

Then, laughing lightly, thus answered he:

"The very strange how these things occur;
Your bridesmaid, dear, was in love with me,
But—I never thought of he:

"Madeline S. Bridges in Judge. Of Two Evils She Chose the Least. Cross-examining Counsel - Isu't your

husband a burgiar? Cross-examining counsel - And didn't you know he was a burglar when you mar-

ried him? Witness-Yes, but I was getting a little old and I had to choose between a burglar and a lawyer, so what else could I do?-

Snifkins-Ye gods! Look at Briggs. Isn't he stuck up? What's the matter with him that he's grown so proud all of a sudden? Has he made a fortune, or?-Blimley-No; his wife sent him down town the other day to match some cloth for her, and he came within two shades of getting the right color.-Lawrence Ameri

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